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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the

application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Previously Presented): A coaxial or triaxial cable comprising a dielectric

layer which comprises component (A) which is a propylene homo- or copolymer

having strain hardening behavior with a haul-off force $F_{\text{max}} > 5 \text{cN}$ and a draw-

down velocity v_{max} > 150 mm/s, and component (B) which comprises a propylene

homo- or copolymer having a catalyst residue of less than 50 ppm, an ash content below 100 ppm and a chloride content of less than 5 ppm.

Claims 2-3 (Canceled).

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 1, wherein the

propylene homo-or copolymer comprised in component (B) has a catalyst residue of less than 5 ppm, an ash content below 30 ppm, and a chloride content

of less than 1 ppm.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 1, wherein component

(B) comprises at least 50 wt % of said polypropylene.

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 1, wherein the ratio of

components (A):(B) is from 1:99 to 60:40.

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 1 wherein the

propylene homo- or copolymer having strain hardening behavior with a haul-off

force $F_{\text{max}} > 5\text{cN}$ and a draw-down velocity $v_{\text{max}} > 150$ mm/s has a melt flow rate

of 0.1 to 25 g/10 min at 230 °C./2.16 kg.

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Claim 8 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 1 wherein the

dielectric layer has been expanded.

Claim 9 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 8, wherein the degree

of expansion is at least 60%.

Claim 10 (Previously Presented): Cable according to claim 1 wherein the

dielectric layer further comprises a nucleating agent in an amount of 0.01 to 0.05 wt %

Claim 11 (Canceled).

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): A method for producing a dielectric layer of a

coaxial or triaxial cable using <u>a component (A) which is</u> a propylene homo- or copolymer having strain hardening behavior with a haul-off force F_{max} > 5cN and

a draw-down velocity v_{max} > 150 mm/s and a component (B) which comprises a

propylene homo- or copolymer having a catalyst residue of less than 50 ppm, an

ash content below 100 ppm and a chloride content of less than 5 ppm.

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